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| In the Application of:                            | )                       |
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## NOTIFICATION OF LOSS OF ENTITLEMENT TO SMALL ENTITY STATUS AND PAYMENT OF ADDITIONAL FEES DUE

Sir:

On July 7, 2003, the above-referenced patent application was filed claiming small entity status, and small entity fees were paid. It was recently realized that small entity status was filed in error. Accordingly, the applicants hereby notify the Patent Office that the application is not entitled to small entity status, which is hereby withdrawn, Itemization and calculation of the deficiencies in payment is presented below in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.28(c)(2):

| Fee Type                                 | Amount Paid | Date Paid | Current Fee | Difference              |
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| Utility Patent Application<br>Filing Fee | \$1,442.00  | 7/7/03    | \$6,836.00  | \$5,394.00              |
| Utility Issue Fee and publication fee    | \$965.00    | 10/25/04  | \$1,810.00  | \$845.00                |
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| Processing Fee                           |             |           | \$130.00    | \$130.00                |
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The Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge the additional fees due in the amount of \$6,884.00 to our Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

If there are any questions or comments regarding this paper, the Patent Office is encouraged to contact the undersigned.

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